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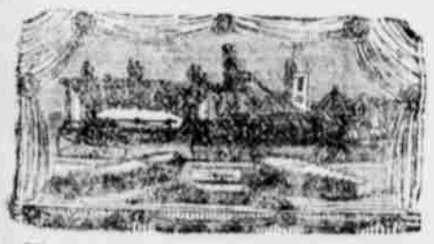

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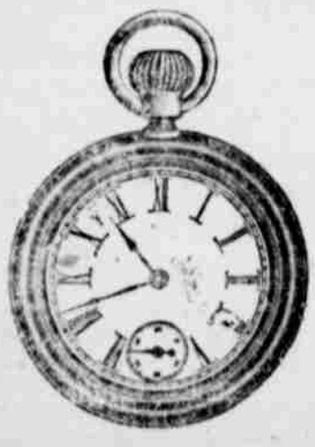

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Our correspondents are derelict in duty and we want to say that henceforth they will not receive papers except for the week they have news letters. We are dependent upon them for the news and when they fail to send in their favors they put us to great inconvenience.

TOLIVER TOPICS.

Old Aunt Annie Cox is reported to be very ill.

Miss Alice Hurst spent Sunday with ye scribe.

Dr. Kash and wife passed through this part Sunday morning.

Two of the Grigsbys spent Tuesday night at John Hurst's.

Cletis Swango spent Sunday evening with Bunford Mannin.

E. O. Taulbee, of Hazel Green, gave us a pleasant call Monday morning.

Mrs. Joce Swango was the pleasant guest at A. B. Swango's part of last week.

Rev. B. M. Mannin and Harry Cecil took dinner with Bruce Bowling Sunday.

B. B. Whaley, of Sharpburg, gave H. B. Swango a pleasant call Saturday.

Rev. B. M. Mannin and Cletis Swango attended services at Maytown Sunday night.

Millard Richie and wife, of Maytown, spent Sunday with E. T. Kash and wife.

Harry Cecil spent Saturday night with Cletis Swango, and said he was still a candidate.

Mrs. Garland Denis will soon leave for Illinois where she will make her future home.

George Cox and Henry Ward passed through Toliver Sunday en route to see their best girls.

Mrs. Kate Low, whose illness was mentioned in last week's issue, is reported some better.

Willie Cox, of Menefee, in company with his bride, visited friends and relatives in this part Friday last.

Mrs. John Nickell, of Ezel, in company with brother-in-law, W. Low, paid her mother a visit Saturday night, and on their way home Sunday, gave us a pleasant call.

Mrs. A. B. Swango in company with her little son, Oliver, left Sunday morning for Mt. Sterling, where she will visit her father and from there to Moorefield, where she will visit her brother and other relatives.

Sept. 24. SCRIBE-MOX.

SWANGO SPRINGS SAYINGS.

Rush Swango was up about Daysboro Sunday.

Dr. A. H. Stewart is visiting his mother and other relatives at Hindman this week.

Mrs. Larkin Lowe and children, of Consolation, spent Sunday with James Bise and family.

J. F. Barbee and wife, of Millersburg are trying the virtue of Swango water.

Henry Stout and Sam Huff, who were guests of the Swango House, left Sunday for their homes in Nicholas and Fleming counties.

Among the many callars at the Springs last week, we noticed Misses Johnson and Rawlings, of the Kentucky Wesleyan academy at Campton; Minnie Day, of your town; Prof. Smith, of the Hazel Green academy; Anthony Lowe, of Toliver, and Daniel James, of Bushton, Ill.

Sept. 24. UNO.

DAYSBORO DOINGS.

Mrs. S. C. Alexander is very ill with typhoid fever.

Kellie Haney, of Florida, passed through here Monday.

Edgar Alexander made a flying trip to Hazel Green last Saturday.

Quite a crowd from here attended the funeral on Gilmore Sunday last.

Monroe Wallen, of Jackson, is the guest of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Fallen.

Hannibal Hurst and Taylor Sewel, of Campton, were the guests of J. W. Taulbee Saturday night.

Miss Mary Brenneman, Mollie Oney and S. H. Nickells were buggy riding out this way Saturday.

Sept. 24. LENA.

MONTGOMERY COUNTY.

SPENCER ITEMS.

Miss Mattie Young is visiting frinds near Preston.

Mrs. Will Hiler is reported dangerously ill with fever.

B. G. Kilgore, the hardwareman, was in town one day last week.

Our town was full of life Sunday evening—all the young folks were driving.

C. E. Ledford, formerly of Rothwell, now of Howards Mill, spent Sunday at home.

Mrs. W. G. Reasor and I. D. Yocum are visiting their sister, Mrs. W. H. Pieratt, of Bethel.

Sewel Combs and wife, of Campton, are visiting the families of S. A. Duff and H. C. Ledford this week.

W. W. Walden, the hustling blacksmith, is back on Spencer once more, and asks his friends to give him a call.

The chestnut harvest will soon be here. The young folks are all planning for a days outing in the woods.

Misses Anna Bell McDonald and Bernice Hall, two belles of Bowen, were the guests of the Misses Ledfords from Saturday until Monday.

S. H. Duff and son Henry left Saturday for Virginia to visit relatives. They will also buy three or four car loads of cattle.

C. E. Duff and Miss Elizabeth Pieratt are to be married at the home of the bride's father, Tuesday, Sept. 25. We extend congratulations.

Misses Lydia Ledford, Ethel Cole and George Barnes attended church at Jeffersonville Sunday, and were entertained at the home of Mrs. Fletcher. They report a pleasant time.

Burl, the fourteen-year-old son of Dave Wilson, died at his home, near Antioch, Tuesday. The remains were interred in the family buring grounds. We extend our sympathy.

Sept 24. SUN SHINE.

MORGAN COUNTY.

MAYTOWN MISSIVES.

Clay Little, of Pomeroyton, was visiting his cousins, Misses Callie and Fronce Neff, last Sunday.

Mrs. Rosa May, of near Mt. Sterling, is visiting her mother, Mrs. W. P. Sample, of this place.

Willie Clark, George Cox and H. C. Ward, of Toliver, attended church at this place Sunday last.

Claude Day has returned from an extended trip through Montgomery county.

Ye scribe had an enjoyable time on Thursday night last at the cane mill just below town. Quite a crowd of the youths and aged citizens of our town and community were present, numbering 45 in all.

Sept. 24. LEOLENE.

CONSOLATION CHAT.

Mrs. A. J. Blankenship is still quite ill.

Miss Ada Cecil visited her aunt, Mrs. S. H. Jackson Sunday.

Charley Caskey and Oscar Taylor were in Consolation Sunday.

E. L. and Clarence Blankenship went to Breathitt county Saturday. Wonder what the attraction is?

The school of this place has organized a society which promises to prove a success.

Monroe Gevedon, of Grassy Lick, passed through here Friday with a bright smile on his face.

T. M. Lee and wife visited their uncle, Sylvester Norman and family, Wednesday, and report Aunt Becca, as being quite sick.

Misses Myrtie Gillaspie and Lillie Oldfield attended Sunday school at the Caskey school house Sunday.

S. H. Elam visited his father's family last week, and was accompanied home by his father Friday.

Sept. 24. EINNIM.

A Short Catechism on Freedom.

The New York Times believes "in all sincerity" that, as it says:

The last honest ground of anti-imperialist opposition crumbles and is swept away by the president's declaration that "it is our purpose to establish in the Philippines a government suitable to the wants and conditions of the inhabitants and to prepare them for self-govmenment and to give them self-government when they are ready for it and as rapidly as they are ready for it."

As Mr. McKinley will not, of course, answer questions disigned to uncover his meaning and to discover his policy, perhaps our contemporary will furnish the answers to a short catechism:

1. What is the "self-government" of a people and what does Mr. McKinley mean by this term?

2. Who is the rightful judge as to what sort of government is "suitable to the wants and conditions" of the inhabitants of the Philippines? If Mr. McKinley or the congress of the United States is that judge what is the source and nature of their authority?

3. Are the inhabitants of those islands, or are they not, endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable rights," among which are "life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness?"

4. If they have no such natural or divine endowments, have they any rights except such as we may see fit to grant them? Have whites and blacks a right to govern themselves, but not browns?

5. If, as congress proclaimed in declaring war upon Spain, the people of Cuba "are and of right ought to be free and independent," why are not the Filipinos in the same category?

Mr. McKinley says that "Freedom is a rock upon which the republican party was founded" and that "Liberty is the great republican doctrine." These are fine words, but just what is the republican definition and application of Freedom and Liberty as applied to the inhabitants of the Philippines?

7. Are government without consent and taxation without representation "tyranny when applied to us, but philanthrophy when applied by us?"

Answers to these questions, made "in all sincerity," would, we believe, tend to elucidate "the paramount issue," which Mr. McKinley's new phrases tend somewhat to obscure.

To borrow a Bible quotation, "A house divided against itself cannot stand." Paraphrasing Lincoln's declaration, "I may add that this nation cannot endure half republic and half colony—half free and half vassal." Our form of government, our traditions, our present interests and our future welfare, all forbid our entering upon a career of conquest.—W. J. Bryan.

Our republican friends virtuously accuse Mr. Bryan of being an imperialist. They charge that he dominates his party. This is a crime which at least cannot be laid at the door of the major. He lives but to obey—the trusts.

The major's hurry to haul down the flag in China suggests that there are more traitors in this country than Edward Atkinson.

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IN A letter received at this place Saturday night State Superintendent McChesney announced that the August examination papers had been graded and that Miss Minnie L. Day had received a state certificate, her grade being the highest attained by any applicant in the state during the year 1900. When we consider the hundreds of applicants for state certificates from all over the state—including several graduates from bluegrass colleges and the principal of one of the leading schools of Eastern Kentucky, as this list did—and reflect that the highest honor comes to the little town of Hazel Green we are indeed proud, and we congratulate Miss Minnie upon her success. She is one of the most studious young ladies in this section. Her ambition has ever been to excel, and by her indomitable energy she has succeeded even beyond her most sanguine hopes. But those who know her best know also that she is entirely deserving of the honor. She is obedient, affectionate and kind to father, mother, brothers and sisters, and thus fulfills the measure of a dutiful daughter in all that it implies. Indeed we are proud of her achievment not alone for her sake, but for the fact that she is a native of our town and was educated at Hazel Green academy, the students of which have always gone to the forefront when anything extraordinary was to be awarded. Only a few years since three other students of this institution were the only ones to obtain state certificates out of a multitude of applicants, and if anything could more clearly demonstrate the thorough training of a school than the example of Miss Minnie Day and the three others—Miss Lula Kash, John Will Taulbee and Ova Swango—why, indeed, we should be pleased to know what it could be. In crowning Miss Day, therefore, with the laurel wreath she has so valiently won upon this occasion, it is but proper that Prof. Cord should have a share of the praise, as he was a prime factor in her preparation as a prize-winner.

THE running mate of McKinley, "Teddy," it is reported made 40 speeches in four days in Nebraska. But Oh, such bosh.

THERE is some talk of another session of the legislature to be called immediately after the present body adjourns, the purpose of which is to gerrymander this appellate court district so as to make it safely democratic, and insure the defeat of the republican candidate, Hon. Ed. C. O'Rear. Now, there is not in Kentucky a democrat who would rejoice more over the defeat of Ed. O'Rear than would we from a political standpoint, notwithstanding we hold him in the higest esteem personally. But to defeat him by a gerrymandering of the district would be a disgrace to the democratic party. If we can defeat him in an honorable straightforward manly manner, we say let us defeat him. But for the sake of the proud old commonwealth of Kentucky, although her fair name has been stained by ways that are dark and tricks that are vain, don't steal the election from him. Politics is hell, we are told, and any sane man who looks at the measures to which office seekers too frequently resort must acknowledge the fact. But do not for the honor that still remains to the dear old commonwealth further mar her escutcheon by so foul a crime as to gerrymander the district right upon the eve of the election. It would be a shame to do so, and the democratic party would feel the effects of it for years to come, beginning with the election this fall. A trick of that sort—aye that trick itself would cost the democratic party 10,000 votes in the state, and we honestly believe that notwithstanding the prestige of Mr. Bryan with the people today it would lose to him the state. The thing is too palpably plain upon its face to bear the scrutiny of any honest thinking man, and if the legislature permits a few office seeking hothouse politicians to control it to the extent of committing such a crime, posterity will point to the act with disgust before the decade has died, and continue always to do so. The democratic party has always maintained its dignity by fair dealing, and at this late date to resort to anything so infamous just to please a few hot headed politicians would indeed be dastardly. Gentlemen of the general assembly, consider this thing well, ere you sully your own fair names with so foul a stain that time even can not efface it, and act like men. THE HERALD stands now as it ever has ready and willing to do all within its power to defeat Mr. O'Rear or any other man who is so unfortunate as to be the nominee of the republican party, but we do not propose to be a party to any measure that looks to looting as a means of success, without at least entering a protest against it. If it be the will of the people we will defeat Mr. O'Rear without resorting to such unfair means, and we had better concede him the election that to steal it from him. Honesty in this instance will prove the policy for the democratic party, and it behooves us to see that it be adopted, else it will cost us dearly in the defeat of good democrats now and hereafter.

J. MILTON TURNER, former United States Minister to Liberia, and a republican orator and organizer of national influence and reputation, has announced his intention to take the stump for Bryan. Mr. Turner says that the negro soldiers who served during the war with Spain acutely resented Col. Roosevelt's declarations that he had to drive the niggers back to their duty at San Juan Hill. Mr. Turner is organizing a club of negro Spanish war veterans to defeat Roosevelt.

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MARK HANNA, the republican boss, is real angry with the coal trust for not holding off the strike until after the election. Then he would not have cared whether the dinner pail was full or not.

According to Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Taylor, the republican congress, will repeal the Chinese exclusion act and permit the Boxers to flood the country with cheap labor. This while 150,000 miners are straving in the United States. Workingmen of America, what do you think of the proposition? Is it not time to stop and think?

Lincoln said that the safety of this nation was not in its fleets, armies, its forts, but in the spirit which prizes liberty as the heritage of all men, in all lands, everywhere, and he warned his countrymen that they could not destroy this spirit without planting the seeds of despotism at their own doors.—W. J. Bryan.

Adlai E. Stevenson, who by the way, never shot a man in the back or "busted" a bronco, is drawing greater crowds to listen to his sober words of wisdom than all the red lights, tin horns and rough riders are drawing for Teddy the Strenuous.

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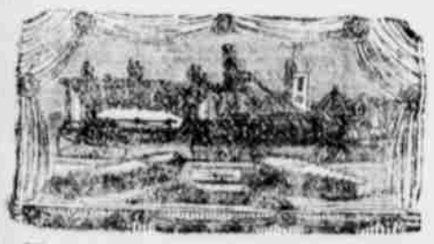

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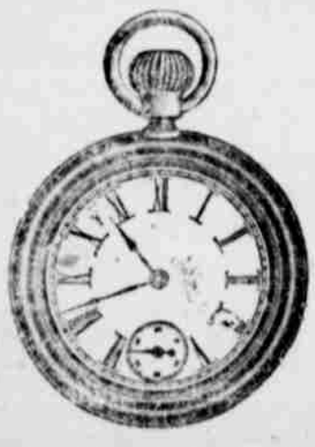

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COUNTY NEWS NOTES.

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Our correspondents are derelict in duty and we want to say that henceforth they will not receive papers except for the week they have news letters. We are dependent upon them for the news and when they fail to send in their favors they put us to great inconvenience.

TOLIVER TOPICS.

Old Aunt Annie Cox is reported to be very ill.

Miss Alice Hurst spent Sunday with ye scribe.

Dr. Kash and wife passed through this part Sunday morning.

Two of the Grigsbys spent Tuesday night at John Hurst's.

Cletis Swango spent Sunday evening with Bunford Mannin.

E. O. Taulbee, of Hazel Green, gave us a pleasant call Monday morning.

Mrs. Joce Swango was the pleasant guest at A. B. Swango's part of last week.

Rev. B. M. Mannin and Harry Cecil took dinner with Bruce Bowling Sunday.

B. B. Whaley, of Sharpburg, gave H. B. Swango a pleasant call Saturday.

Rev. B. M. Mannin and Cletis Swango attended services at Maytown Sunday night.

Millard Richie and wife, of Maytown, spent Sunday with E. T. Kash and wife.

Harry Cecil spent Saturday night with Cletis Swango, and said he was still a candidate.

Mrs. Garland Denis will soon leave for Illinois where she will make her future home.

George Cox and Henry Ward passed through Toliver Sunday en route to see their best girls.

Mrs. Kate Low, whose illness was mentioned in last week's issue, is reported some better.

Willie Cox, of Menefee, in company with his bride, visited friends and relatives in this part Friday last.

Mrs. John Nickell, of Ezel, in company with brother-in-law, W. Low, paid her mother a visit Saturday night, and on their way home Sunday, gave us a pleasant call.

Mrs. A. B. Swango in company with her little son, Oliver, left Sunday morning for Mt. Sterling, where she will visit her father and from there to Moorefield, where she will visit her brother and other relatives.

Sept. 24. SCRIBE-MOX.

SWANGO SPRINGS SAYINGS.

Rush Swango was up about Daysboro Sunday.

Dr. A. H. Stewart is visiting his mother and other relatives at Hindman this week.

Mrs. Larkin Lowe and children, of Consolation, spent Sunday with James Bise and family.

J. F. Barbee and wife, of Millersburg are trying the virtue of Swango water.

Henry Stout and Sam Huff, who were guests of the Swango House, left Sunday for their homes in Nicholas and Fleming counties.

Among the many callars at the Springs last week, we noticed Misses Johnson and Rawlings, of the Kentucky Wesleyan academy at Campton; Minnie Day, of your town; Prof. Smith, of the Hazel Green academy; Anthony Lowe, of Toliver, and Daniel James, of Bushton, Ill.

Sept. 24. UNO.

DAYSBORO DOINGS.

Mrs. S. C. Alexander is very ill with typhoid fever.

Kellie Haney, of Florida, passed through here Monday.

Edgar Alexander made a flying trip to Hazel Green last Saturday.

Quite a crowd from here attended the funeral on Gilmore Sunday last.

Monroe Wallen, of Jackson, is the guest of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Fallen.

Hannibal Hurst and Taylor Sewel, of Campton, were the guests of J. W. Taulbee Saturday night.

Miss Mary Brenneman, Mollie Oney and S. H. Nickells were buggy riding out this way Saturday.

Sept. 24. LENA.

MONTGOMERY COUNTY.

SPENCER ITEMS.

Miss Mattie Young is visiting frinds near Preston.

Mrs. Will Hiler is reported dangerously ill with fever.

B. G. Kilgore, the hardwareman, was in town one day last week.

Our town was full of life Sunday evening—all the young folks were driving.

C. E. Ledford, formerly of Rothwell, now of Howards Mill, spent Sunday at home.

Mrs. W. G. Reasor and I. D. Yocum are visiting their sister, Mrs. W. H. Pieratt, of Bethel.

Sewel Combs and wife, of Campton, are visiting the families of S. A. Duff and H. C. Ledford this week.

W. W. Walden, the hustling blacksmith, is back on Spencer once more, and asks his friends to give him a call.

The chestnut harvest will soon be here. The young folks are all planning for a days outing in the woods.

Misses Anna Bell McDonald and Bernice Hall, two belles of Bowen, were the guests of the Misses Ledfords from Saturday until Monday.

S. H. Duff and son Henry left Saturday for Virginia to visit relatives. They will also buy three or four car loads of cattle.

C. E. Duff and Miss Elizabeth Pieratt are to be married at the home of the bride's father, Tuesday, Sept. 25. We extend congratulations.

Misses Lydia Ledford, Ethel Cole and George Barnes attended church at Jeffersonville Sunday, and were entertained at the home of Mrs. Fletcher. They report a pleasant time.

Burl, the fourteen-year-old son of Dave Wilson, died at his home, near Antioch, Tuesday. The remains were interred in the family buring grounds. We extend our sympathy.

Sept 24. SUN SHINE.

MORGAN COUNTY.

MAYTOWN MISSIVES.

Clay Little, of Pomeroyton, was visiting his cousins, Misses Callie and Fronce Neff, last Sunday.

Mrs. Rosa May, of near Mt. Sterling, is visiting her mother, Mrs. W. P. Sample, of this place.

Willie Clark, George Cox and H. C. Ward, of Toliver, attended church at this place Sunday last.

Claude Day has returned from an extended trip through Montgomery county.

Ye scribe had an enjoyable time on Thursday night last at the cane mill just below town. Quite a crowd of the youths and aged citizens of our town and community were present, numbering 45 in all.

Sept. 24. LEOLENE.

CONSOLATION CHAT.

Mrs. A. J. Blankenship is still quite ill.

Miss Ada Cecil visited her aunt, Mrs. S. H. Jackson Sunday.

Charley Caskey and Oscar Taylor were in Consolation Sunday.

E. L. and Clarence Blankenship went to Breathitt county Saturday. Wonder what the attraction is?

The school of this place has organized a society which promises to prove a success.

Monroe Gevedon, of Grassy Lick, passed through here Friday with a bright smile on his face.

T. M. Lee and wife visited their uncle, Sylvester Norman and family, Wednesday, and report Aunt Becca, as being quite sick.

Misses Myrtie Gillaspie and Lillie Oldfield attended Sunday school at the Caskey school house Sunday.

S. H. Elam visited his father's family last week, and was accompanied home by his father Friday.

Sept. 24. EINNIM.

A Short Catechism on Freedom.

The New York Times believes "in all sincerity" that, as it says:

The last honest ground of anti-imperialist opposition crumbles and is swept away by the president's declaration that "it is our purpose to establish in the Philippines a government suitable to the wants and conditions of the inhabitants and to prepare them for self-govmenment and to give them self-government when they are ready for it and as rapidly as they are ready for it."

As Mr. McKinley will not, of course, answer questions disigned to uncover his meaning and to discover his policy, perhaps our contemporary will furnish the answers to a short catechism:

1. What is the "self-government" of a people and what does Mr. McKinley mean by this term?

2. Who is the rightful judge as to what sort of government is "suitable to the wants and conditions" of the inhabitants of the Philippines? If Mr. McKinley or the congress of the United States is that judge what is the source and nature of their authority?

3. Are the inhabitants of those islands, or are they not, endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable rights," among which are "life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness?"

4. If they have no such natural or divine endowments, have they any rights except such as we may see fit to grant them? Have whites and blacks a right to govern themselves, but not browns?

5. If, as congress proclaimed in declaring war upon Spain, the people of Cuba "are and of right ought to be free and independent," why are not the Filipinos in the same category?

Mr. McKinley says that "Freedom is a rock upon which the republican party was founded" and that "Liberty is the great republican doctrine." These are fine words, but just what is the republican definition and application of Freedom and Liberty as applied to the inhabitants of the Philippines?

7. Are government without consent and taxation without representation "tyranny when applied to us, but philanthrophy when applied by us?"

Answers to these questions, made "in all sincerity," would, we believe, tend to elucidate "the paramount issue," which Mr. McKinley's new phrases tend somewhat to obscure.

To borrow a Bible quotation, "A house divided against itself cannot stand." Paraphrasing Lincoln's declaration, "I may add that this nation cannot endure half republic and half colony—half free and half vassal." Our form of government, our traditions, our present interests and our future welfare, all forbid our entering upon a career of conquest.—W. J. Bryan.

Our republican friends virtuously accuse Mr. Bryan of being an imperialist. They charge that he dominates his party. This is a crime which at least cannot be laid at the door of the major. He lives but to obey—the trusts.

The major's hurry to haul down the flag in China suggests that there are more traitors in this country than Edward Atkinson.

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FOR VICE PRESIDENT,
ADLAI E. STEVENSON,
of Illinois.

FOR GOVERNOR,
J. C. W. BECKHAM,
of Nelson County.

FOR CONGRESS,
J. BANFORD WHITE,
of Estill County.

IN A letter received at this place Saturday night State Superintendent McChesney announced that the August examination papers had been graded and that Miss Minnie L. Day had received a state certificate, her grade being the highest attained by any applicant in the state during the year 1900. When we consider the hundreds of applicants for state certificates from all over the state—including several graduates from bluegrass colleges and the principal of one of the leading schools of Eastern Kentucky, as this list did—and reflect that the highest honor comes to the little town of Hazel Green we are indeed proud, and we congratulate Miss Minnie upon her success. She is one of the most studious young ladies in this section. Her ambition has ever been to excel, and by her indomitable energy she has succeeded even beyond her most sanguine hopes. But those who know her best know also that she is entirely deserving of the honor. She is obedient, affectionate and kind to father, mother, brothers and sisters, and thus fulfills the measure of a dutiful daughter in all that it implies. Indeed we are proud of her achievment not alone for her sake, but for the fact that she is a native of our town and was educated at Hazel Green academy, the students of which have always gone to the forefront when anything extraordinary was to be awarded. Only a few years since three other students of this institution were the only ones to obtain state certificates out of a multitude of applicants, and if anything could more clearly demonstrate the thorough training of a school than the example of Miss Minnie Day and the three others—Miss Lula Kash, John Will Taulbee and Ova Swango—why, indeed, we should be pleased to know what it could be. In crowning Miss Day, therefore, with the laurel wreath she has so valiently won upon this occasion, it is but proper that Prof. Cord should have a share of the praise, as he was a prime factor in her preparation as a prize-winner.

THE running mate of McKinley, "Teddy," it is reported made 40 speeches in four days in Nebraska. But Oh, such bosh.

THERE is some talk of another session of the legislature to be called immediately after the present body adjourns, the purpose of which is to gerrymander this appellate court district so as to make it safely democratic, and insure the defeat of the republican candidate, Hon. Ed. C. O'Rear. Now, there is not in Kentucky a democrat who would rejoice more over the defeat of Ed. O'Rear than would we from a political standpoint, notwithstanding we hold him in the higest esteem personally. But to defeat him by a gerrymandering of the district would be a disgrace to the democratic party. If we can defeat him in an honorable straightforward manly manner, we say let us defeat him. But for the sake of the proud old commonwealth of Kentucky, although her fair name has been stained by ways that are dark and tricks that are vain, don't steal the election from him. Politics is hell, we are told, and any sane man who looks at the measures to which office seekers too frequently resort must acknowledge the fact. But do not for the honor that still remains to the dear old commonwealth further mar her escutcheon by so foul a crime as to gerrymander the district right upon the eve of the election. It would be a shame to do so, and the democratic party would feel the effects of it for years to come, beginning with the election this fall. A trick of that sort—aye that trick itself would cost the democratic party 10,000 votes in the state, and we honestly believe that notwithstanding the prestige of Mr. Bryan with the people today it would lose to him the state. The thing is too palpably plain upon its face to bear the scrutiny of any honest thinking man, and if the legislature permits a few office seeking hothouse politicians to control it to the extent of committing such a crime, posterity will point to the act with disgust before the decade has died, and continue always to do so. The democratic party has always maintained its dignity by fair dealing, and at this late date to resort to anything so infamous just to please a few hot headed politicians would indeed be dastardly. Gentlemen of the general assembly, consider this thing well, ere you sully your own fair names with so foul a stain that time even can not efface it, and act like men. THE HERALD stands now as it ever has ready and willing to do all within its power to defeat Mr. O'Rear or any other man who is so unfortunate as to be the nominee of the republican party, but we do not propose to be a party to any measure that looks to looting as a means of success, without at least entering a protest against it. If it be the will of the people we will defeat Mr. O'Rear without resorting to such unfair means, and we had better concede him the election that to steal it from him. Honesty in this instance will prove the policy for the democratic party, and it behooves us to see that it be adopted, else it will cost us dearly in the defeat of good democrats now and hereafter.

J. MILTON TURNER, former United States Minister to Liberia, and a republican orator and organizer of national influence and reputation, has announced his intention to take the stump for Bryan. Mr. Turner says that the negro soldiers who served during the war with Spain acutely resented Col. Roosevelt's declarations that he had to drive the niggers back to their duty at San Juan Hill. Mr. Turner is organizing a club of negro Spanish war veterans to defeat Roosevelt.

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HON. JOHN L. WALLER who was United States consul to Madagascar under President Harrison, and later a captain in the 23rd Kansas volunteers, which did valiant service in the war with Spain, is one of the leading colored men in this country. He stumped the United State for eight years under the auspices of the republican national committee, and was considered one of its most efficient orators. Writing to a friend in Indianapolis under date of August 20th, he says: "I have just read Col. Bryan's masterful effort at Indianapolis—his speech accepting the democratic nomination of president of the United States. His speech will read well beside those of the great Lincoln. Set me down for William Jennings Bryan."

THE martyred and lamented governor, William Goebel, left Hazel Green one year ago Monday morning at 10 o'clock. The day was Sunday, and the night before he spoke to an immense crowd of the citizens of this and of Morgan county, who had assembled to hear him. And such was the magnetism of the man that many who came here opposed to him were his ardent admirers after hearing his address, and they still revere his memory.

MARK HANNA, the republican boss, is real angry with the coal trust for not holding off the strike until after the election. Then he would not have cared whether the dinner pail was full or not.

According to Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Taylor, the republican congress, will repeal the Chinese exclusion act and permit the Boxers to flood the country with cheap labor. This while 150,000 miners are straving in the United States. Workingmen of America, what do you think of the proposition? Is it not time to stop and think?

Lincoln said that the safety of this nation was not in its fleets, armies, its forts, but in the spirit which prizes liberty as the heritage of all men, in all lands, everywhere, and he warned his countrymen that they could not destroy this spirit without planting the seeds of despotism at their own doors.—W. J. Bryan.

Adlai E. Stevenson, who by the way, never shot a man in the back or "busted" a bronco, is drawing greater crowds to listen to his sober words of wisdom than all the red lights, tin horns and rough riders are drawing for Teddy the Strenuous.

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